

REMARKS

This paper is responsive to the final Office Action mailed October 11, 2006, relating to the above-identified application. Applicant requests reconsideration. No new matter has been added.

Claims 1-13 stand rejected under obviousness-type double patenting.

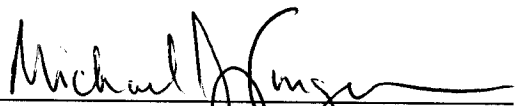
Filed concurrently herewith, please find a Terminal Disclaimer that overcomes the Examiner's rejection. Accordingly, Applicant respectfully submits that this application is in condition for allowance and such action is earnestly solicited.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any underpayment or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 22-0259 or any payment in connection with this communication, including any fees for extension of time, which may be required. The Examiner is also invited to call the undersigned if such action might expedite the prosecution of this application.

Respectfully submitted,

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